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Science is assured that the white corpuscles in the blood, popularly called "Little Soldiers," defend you against infectious and contagious diseases.

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And that to make and keep them healthy and strong is to purify and enrich the blood.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla is the greatest preventive as well as curative medicine.

"I have sold the different Sarsa-

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FAIRFIELD

A New Lighting Company—The Lincoln Program - Current Events Postponed

-Double Wedding.

-Book Committee-Grange Meeting

Yesterday at the Town hall a num-

is to the stock were re

ber of gentlemen held a meeting and accepted the charter of the Fairfield

men have been made directors of the

new company. Mr. Samuel C. More-house is President; Mr. Charles A.

Paul, treasurer and Mr. Charles B.

Jennings, Secretary. Mr. Paul is well

known as the manager of the Bridge-port division of the United Illuminat-

ing Company at 148 John street, and it is understood that the Illuminating

Company will be the controlling factor

in the new company, and as such the people of Fairfield may reasonably ex-

pect to see their town illuminated be-

fore long, with either gas or electricity.

This new organization will command

the confidence of the public, and there

is little doubt but the light question

will be speedily solved. Attorney William A. Redden acts as the legal

advisor of the company.

The program for the Lincoln celebration at the Library hall on the 12th

1-Summary of the chief dates in the

life of Lincoln, compiled from Mor-

gan's Lincoln, "The Boy and the Man,"

to be read by Supt. William A. Wheat-

2-Bancroft's oration on Lincoln, by

3-Walt. Whitman's "My Captain,

Oh My Captain!" to be read by Mr.

4-The Gettyaburg Address, and por-tions of the Second Inaugural, to be

5-Tom Taylor's Ode to Lincoln, read

by Rev. Allen Beeman. 6-Mrs. Julia Ward Howe's "Battle

Hymn of the Republic," to be sung by the Fairfield Choral Society and the

A number of portraits of Lincoln, and

other interesting relics will be on exhi-

bition. The exercises mapped out are so

interesting, it is anticipated that the

hall will be crowded to its utmost limit

Owing to the death of a near rela-

tive of Mrs. Mitchell's, the Current

Events club will not meet next Mon-

day, as had been announced, but is to

be postponed until a week from Mon-

There are those who frequent the

ibrary who say it would be simply

delightful if there were fire dogs in

the fire place in the reading room, and

The Book Committee of the library

was in session yesterday afternoon.

The members present included Mrs.

Mabel Osgood Wright, Mrs. William

B. Glover, Rev. Frank S. Child, Supt.

William A. Wheatley, Rev. Allen Bee-

man, Mr. Sturges. The committee is

expecting soon a large present of books

Hawkins Brothers of Hulls Farms

are carrying the children of South Banks District to the Dwight school.

They drive a pair of handsome gray horses which they have recently pur-

ort, is a well known and popular

Miss Bulkley, who is engaged to Mr.

Clayton S. Elwood, is prominently

Identified with the Country Club. Some

persons think the signs point to a

Mr. Edward Sanford and Mr. George

Brett, of New York, recently a day

The ladies' Union of the Congrega-

tional church at Greenfield Hill, met

There was a drummer in town yes-

in 20 volumes at a tremendous cost.

Bridgeport gave a surprise party to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Greenfield

Hill. One or two omnibus loads of

merry folks went from the center of

Tuesday last there was a meeting of

the grange at its hall on Greenfield

were made one of them being a trib-

ute from Mrs. Simeon Pease to the

late Sherwood Banks, who was a char-

ter member of the grange. Another

was taken on the bills regulating the

speed of automobiles, on parcels post, and on the proposed anti-vaccination

On the 9th inst., the Christian En-

deavor Society will meet with Miss

Yesterday the Woman's Guild met at

the Episcopal chapel.

Mrs. Thomas Bell entertained the Friday Afternoon club yesterday.

A number of short addresses

The way he took in orders was nil.

yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Olm-

in town at their country places.

derk at Banks' store on Greenfield.

from Mr. O. G. Jennings.

louble wedding.

up the chimney.

inst has been arranged as follows:

Judge John H. Perry of Southport.

read by Rev. Dr. Frank S. Child.

Its record shows this.

The white corpuscles in your and impoverished blood from which blood destroy the micro-organisms that attack the red corpuscles and the bodily timues.

In this way they defend you. But they are not in condition to defend you, to fight for you, if you are troubled with eruptions, scrofula, eczema, catarrh, rheumatism, that tired feeling, loss of appetite, nervousness or general debility,—all of which are indications that your blood is impure and impoverished and your system run-down.

It is good to kill two birds with Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and it clean man." C. F. Webs, North-will cure any indication of impure umberland, N. H.

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects its wonderful cures, not simply because it contains sarsaparilla, but because it combines the utmost remedial values of more than 20 different ingredients, each greatly strengthened and enriched by this peculiar combination. These ingredients are the very remedies that successful physicians prescribe for the same diseases and aliments. There is no real substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla. If urged to buy any preparation said to be "just as good," you may be sure it is inferior, costs less to make, and yields the dealer a larger profit.

Begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla today, in the usual liquid form or in the chocolated tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 Doses One Dollar.

#### POINTS OF INTEREST.

Large Display of spangled hats and turbans for im-mediate use at E. H. Dillon & Co.'s, Valentine's Day.

Valentine's Day.

For all who are interested in valentines, something suitable may be found in Dan Cupid's collection at the P. O. News Store in the Arcade. There are dainty creations with verses expressing preference, prettily gotten up cards with bright witticisms, and a variety of interesting designs with accompanying sentiment in verse. The associment is well chosen and extensive, and the prices are low. Call and inspect the valentines at the P. O. News Store, Il Arcade.

The Howard. One of the best watches that has ceived. Among those who subscribed ever been put on the market one that to the capital stock were Samuel C. and out of season, in heat and cold Paul of Bridgeport, and Charles B. seep the correct time without the Jennings, of Fairfield. These gentleseep the correct time without the loward. It is full jeweled, made alshed workmen and fully guar-Parker, the Arcade Jeweler, this watch, which can be pur-from \$35 to \$200. They are looking at even if you are not prepared to buy and your inspection is invited at this store. Everything in the way of staple jewelry with many novelties may be found here.

Frippe Capsules is fully established. wo or three doses when the first cold es on, and grippe and pneumonia banished. 25e box. We carry he very best rubber goods at moder-te prices, all kinds of syringes, prays, hot water bottles, sick room es, invalids' necessities, crutches ces, abdominal supporters, elastic ckings. Lotions and creams of all we particularly recommend our a. a 25c lotion, non-greasy, quick drying, can be applied during the day.
Women troubled with delayed or painful periods due to colds, ill health or other unnatural causes, find quick relief in our Emmenagogue Mixture, 11.75 for the outfit. The Woman's rug Store, 129 State street, one door clow Main street. Tel. 288-4.

Bound to Be Sure. The name and memory of Lincoln at the present time is very much in evidence in newspapers and magazines. It is well that we have brought to our attention the lives of our great men, icularly those that have stood for highest ideals in our national life. tham Lincoln is such a character and his life and work should always give us fresh inspiration and help in ing inspiration and obligations of At the first Methodist church, Sunday evening, the Rev. Mr. Brown will speak from the well known ex-pression of Lincoln: "I am not bound to win, but I am bound to be true."

Mr. Brown is an interesting speaker
on any topic and the subject of his
discourse Sunday evening will enable im to deliver a sermon of unusual

When the Hub Clothing store, corner of Main and Bank streets ance a bargain the general public know that it is genuine. The half century record of this store has established it not only in this city but throughout the county as one which stands for reliability in character and for the goods handled. It does not have "sales" at stated intervals or announce sweeping reductions. It handles the best goods which is sold at a fair margin of profit. As a result it has the best trade obtainable in the retail clothing line in this county. When a surplus stock warrants it it is isposed of irregardless of the whole-sale price. Just now there is an action of stock and for a brief eriod men's suits that were sold from \$12 to \$18 a few weeks ago will be disposed of at \$10 a suit. Boys' suits that brought from \$5 to \$8 will be sold at 53.50 in order to clear the counters for ew stock. There is a display of the goods in the windows of this store. Just look them over. They speak

> Busy people who do not like to lose a day and those to whom time represents money all of them recommend Cyrus Plaster for Backache. Many of them have used this plaster and know experience and many others have learned from their friends that Cyrus Plaster gives relief when others have failed. Twenty-five cents will save a day's pay. Cyrus Pharmacy. Fairfield Ave. and Courtland St

# PRESIDENT HITS SPOILS SYSTEM

Message Vetoing Census Bil Sent to the House.

#### "WOULD BE FRAUD ON PUBLIC

Noncompetitive Examinations Mea Addition to Expense and Time In volved in Enumeration, Declares Mr. Roosevelt-Quotes Census Offi cials In-Support of His Contentions Has No Sympathy With Doctring That "to the Victor Belong the Spoils."

Washington, Feb. 5. - President Roosevelt sent today to the house of representatives a special message ve toing the bill which provides for the taking of the next census. He bases his objection to the bill on the provision that appointments to the census force shall be made by noncompetitive examination.

The president says: To the House of Representatives: I herewith return without approval house resolution 16,954, entitled "An act to provide for the thirteenth and This evening's performance will af- phuric acid will give it an edge that I fully realize the importance of supplying the director of the census at as early a date as possible with the force of the census at as early a date as possible with the force of the census at as an audience which will tax the seatearly a date as possible with the force necessary to the carrying on of his work. But it is of high consequence to the country that the statistical work of the census shall be conducted with entire accuracy. This is as important from the standpoint of business and industry as from the scientific standpoint. It is therefore, in my judgment, essential that the result should not be onen to the ausnicion of bias aread the book must be interested in the play. It is so filled with character types and genuine humor that liting the seat-ing capacity of the bigg theatre. This place, in the hills of Wales.

A railroad has invaded the holy city of Medina, and the tomb of Mohammed has been illuminated by electric-ity.

Forty men and four women in each one thousand are said to be afflicted with color-blindness to a serious described in the play. It is so filled with character types and genuine humor that not be open to the suspicion of blas it should not be open to the reasonable

accepted the charter of the Fairfield Light and Power Company which was granted by the legislature in 1907. The incorporators are Town Clerk Joseph I. Flint, Postmaster Pickett, Wallace M. Bulkley, and David Burr, the well-known sheriff. Books were opened and ple's money and a fraud. Section 7 of the act provides in effect that appointments to the census shall be under the spoils system, for this is the real meaning of the provision that Boy" speak well for the coming enpetitive examination. The proviso is added that they shall be selected with- is surrounded with an organization out regard to political party affiliations, which works unceasingly to provide But there is only one way to guarantee that they shall be selected without regard to politics and on merit, and to have it brought back again while that is by choosing them after competitive examination from the lists of eligibles provided by the civil service

suspicion of being a waste of the peo-

Objects to Spoils Idea. To provide that the clerks and other employees shall be appointed after noncompetitive examination and vet to provide that they shall be selected without regard to political party affillations means merely that the appointments shall be treated as the perquisites of the politicians of both parties instead of as the perquisites of the pollticians of one party. I do not believe In the doctrine that to the victor belong the spoils, but I think even less of the doctrine that the spoils shall be divided without a fight by the professional politicians on both sides, and this would be the result of permitting the bill in its present shape to become a law. Both of the last censuses, the eleventh and the twelfth, were taken under a provision of law excluding competition-that is, necessitating the appointments being made under the spoils system. Every man competent to speak with authority because of his knowledge of and familiarity with the work of those censuses has stated that the result was to produce extravagance and demoralization.

The president here quotes in support of his contentions Robert P. Porter, who took the census of 1890; Frederick H. Wines, the assistant director of the census of 1900, and Carroll D. Wright, director of the census bureau named says that \$2,000,000 and more than a year's time would have been logs blazing, with all the sparks going brought into the classified service.

"Fraud Upon the Public."

The noncompetitive examination in a case like this is not only vicious, but is in effect a fraud upon the public. No essential change is effected by providing that it be conducted by the civil service commission, and to provide that the employees shall be selected without regard to political party affiliations is empty and misleading unless at the same time it is made effective in the only way in which it Mr. William Penn Bulkley, who is spossible to make it effective—that is, engaged to Miss McLevy of Bridge- by providing that the examination

shall be made competitive. I also recommend that if provision is made that the census printing work may be done outside the government printing office it shall be explicitly provided that the government authorities shall see that the eight hour law is applied in effective fashion to these

outside offices. Outside of these matters I believe al church at Greenfield Hill. A ser-mon appropriate for the occasion will lect. But it is of vital consequence terday who wanted to sell a dictionary andertaking on behalf of the whole people to be marred by permitting it to be turned into an engine to further Thursday Mr. Och drove over to to be turned into an engine to further Wilton to take a look at his new place. the self interest of that small section Last night Mrs. Dora Johnson of if the people which makes a profession of politics.

> THEODORE ROOSEVELT. The White House, Feb. 5, 1909.

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# THE THEATRES

SMITH'S.

subsequent decennial censuses." I do ford the last opportunity of witnessing will cut tempered steel. this with extreme reluctance, because that extremely pleasing and interestacter types and genuine humor that the interest is sustained throughout, on political and personal grounds, that and the laughs follow each other so closely that they seem almost continuous. Be sure and see the performance this evening, or you will miss one of the real artistic treats of the season.

The large audiences which are everywhere enjoying the new "Peck's Bad gagement of this popular comedy next James H. Callahan, as the Bad Boy, amusement that never fails to please. Anyone who has treasured up pleasant memories of his youth, is sure witnessing "Peck's Bad Boy" in its new and improved condition,-brighter, bigger and better than ever.

daily matinees, Lew Welch will appear in the "Shoemaker." Mr. Welch is best remembered for his impersonation of a certain kind of Hebrew found on the East Side of New York. The supporting company is very strong and does ample justice to the various parts.

The engagement of "The Happy Mar-'iage." which was scheduled for Smith's theatre for next Wednesday, has been cancelled, and in its stead, so short notice has been given, the management has been obliged to extend the picture show for three days, instead of two. So that, for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, afternoons and evenings, the splendid animated picture shows which have been given George Greenspun will sing two of the latest illustrated songs, with new slides, | Turpentine will restore to their origand with the accompaniment of the entire house orchestra.

Billie Burke and "Love Watches" will evening, March 11.

### POLI'S

Manager Poli has secured for next week one of the best vaudeville aggregations ever offered to a Bridgeport audience. Appreciating as he does the loyal support given him by his patrons in Bridgeport it is Manager Poli's aim to give to the people of this city the very best productions that can be secured in the vaudeville field. Of course there are times when one bill will not match with another, but patafter the census of 1890. The last rons of Poli's can always be assured that they will receive the very best that can be given to the patrons of eny vaudeville circuit in the country. saved if the census force had been lor next week Manager Poli has spared no expense to bring to Bridgeport a galaxy of all-star acts. You will remember Fred Karno's great English production, "The Slums of London" presented by fifteen of the best comedians from the other side. Karno's act will headline Poli's bill next week. Several stage settings are used with good effect throughout the

Next week you will have an unusual dded feature. Miss Monie Mine, the elebrated English comedienne will present for the first American tour her emarkable repertoire of story-songs, he kind that made Vesta Victoria and is possible to make it effective—that is, Alice Lloyd famous. She also uses several lightning-change costume effects. Miss Mine is said to be the prettiest English girl on the stage to-

Bridgeport having at heart always the spirit of "Local Pride" will be glad to receive Melrose & Kennedy, two Bridgeport boys who have made good on the Keith & Proctor and other big vaudeville circuits. It warms one's heart to see our owr boys getting out in the realm of the big things and acSociety has awarded the Symons gold Keithsburg, Ill., will be so constructed complishing results. You will not be medal for 1908 to L. Teisserenc de Bort, that any one of a number of spans stead at the parsonage.

To-morrow there will be a Lincoln memorial service in the Congregational church at Greenfield Hill. A serstrongly to you. Conroy, LeMaire & world, at Great Falls, Mont., towers 506 Co., present their laughing success, "A feet into the air and weighs 17,000 tons. that we should not once again permit King For a Night"; John J. McClosky, It rests on a concrete base 25 feet deep the usefulness of this great decennial the "Caruso of Vaudeville"; Walter andertaking on behalf of the whole Lewis & Co., in their great laugh hit, "A Baby Grand"; Cartmell & Harris, late of Geo. M. Cohan's "Fifty Miles From Boston"; and the electrograph with the best things in motion pic-tures will furnish you with a splendid or a confined space in a larger vessel.

### WALL STREET. TO-DAY. predicted, will be able to carry two

11 a. m .- The character of the new in regard to the Japanese situation in this morning's papers was used by cisterns to fill again as rapidly as room traders as a reason for selling emptied, and which shut off the supply

Park City Theatre.

patrons have been well satisfied this Mrs. Thomas Bell entertained the modate those coming out of the factorial Afterneon club yesterday.

Eel fishing is said to be good in Mill Monday evenings. February sale of for 5 cents. Corner Stratford and New-greatly as to be neglected when first oil cloth and linoleum now going on.

### MEWEST NOTES

OF SCIENCE

Extensive deposits of asbestos have been discovered near Eastman, Que-' Less than four per cent. of the world's coal comes from south of the Tempering an ordinary drill in sul-

An electric organ has been invented Great Britain's rarest bird is the 59c.

it and rolls it again in a new bolt. The recently discovered eighth satellite of Jupiter has been successfully photographed at the Greenwich Observatory. To give St. Petersburg a supply of

pure water, experts are considering tapping Lake Ladoga, nine miles from the city. The new life-saving gun, adopted by the Federal revenue cutter service, has

thrown a line 1,650 feet in official tests. the Dutch use 50 pounds more wheat flour per capita per year than the Germans. Government figures place the approx-

imate number of horses in the counry at 20,000,000 and of mules at nearly Columbia University will establish a school of forestry in connection with

its school of mines, engineering and A recently-patented drinking foun tain delivers a clean new paper cup, filied with ice water, when a cent is

dropped in the slot. History is taught to young children a Brussels school with the aid of dolls dressed to represent notable men and

The Argentina Department of Hy tiene acts as referee in cases of disputed professional accounts between physicians and patients. The swiftest of the smaller birds is

the Virginia rainpiper, which has accomplished measured flights of 7,500 known. vds. in a minute. Japan has completed and published a geological survey of Korea, together with a detailed account of its mines and mineral resources.

A calorie is a metric unit of heat in the past will hold the attention, and equivalent to the heat necessary to a change of bill will be given each day. raise the temperature of a gramme of water one degree, Centigrade, inal whiteness piano keys that have

turned yellow, while hot vinegar will remove paint stains from glass, The largest electrical cooking device be seen at Smith's theatre, Thursday in the world is an oven at Marseilles, France, which is heated by currents passing through resistance coils.

The Arostook Falls in Maine have been harnessed to produce electricity to operate a railroad and furnish power for knitting mills in the vicinity. A Boston woman has patented an individual car strap which may be, carried in a shopping bag and attached by a hook to the rod in the car or to

another strap. The Philadelphia Aeronautical Recreation Society has ordered the largest balloon ever built in this country and expects to make a trial trip in

American interests largely predominate in the mining industry in Korea, one American company having already taken out bullion worth nearly \$10,000,-

A 150-foot steel tower with a 75-foot well under it will be constructed at the Carnegie Observatory on Mount Wilson, California, with which to use a spectroscope.

The Canadian Pacific Railroad equipping its bridges with automatic devices which will set danger sgnals in case the bridges are burned or washed away.

Test borings for oil are being made in the mountains of North Carolina and eastern Tennessee as the result of discovery of indications of natural gas. Christian remains, probably dating from the Eighth or Seventh Century, have been unearthed at Wad-el-Hadad. along the Blue Nile, further south than

ever before found. A magnifying glass with a clip attachment to fasten it to pencils or other drawing instruments to facilitate fine work, is a recent invention for the benefit of draughtsmen. Surgeons of the Pasteur Institute at

Paris have discovered that chimpanzees have a previously unsuspected resemblance to man in their special susceptibility to appendicitis. The British royal Meteorological

feet into the air and weighs 17,000 tons. by 103 in diameter. Two British marine engineers have

other dangerous vapor in a submarine A dirigible balloon, which is being built in Germany, the invention of a technical high school professor, it is Turkey Asks Russia to Remit Entire War tons of freight in addition to its crew. Atlanta is equipping its fire cisterns with automatic valves, which allow the

The Maine Central Railroad is experimenting with electric locomotive garian indemnity dispute, is said to headlights, the current for which is contain a demand for the remission provided by small steam turbine gen- of the entire Turkish indemnity debt Another good bill for to-night. Our erutors mounted on top of the boilers. to Russia, amounting to \$112,000,000. While tires of a steam locomotive Russia had offered to remit \$25,000,000 Wooster's to Close at 6:30 Except week as we have had a good show will wear down after being run 8,000 of this indemnity, accepting in lieu every night. To-day pictures include miles, it is said that those of an electhereof, a payment of \$16,400,000 from the following: Money Mad, Please Help tric locomotive will not require renew- Bulgaria. The enormity of the de-Beginning Feb. 8, J. S. Wooster & the Blind, I've Lost My Eyeglasses, al until it has been run 30.000 miles. mands is believed to be merely a ruse on Turkey's part to get a more libstead of 6 o'clock as before, to accom- the Artists Model, and the Night Rid- the new Australian gold field of Posel- eral offer from Russia, preferably a

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14 quart Dish Pan, Gray Enamel, 39c. Regular value 69c.
6 quart Lip Sauce Pan, Blue Enamel, 39c. Regular value 59c.
4 quart Berlin Sauce Pan, Gray Enamel, 39c. Regular value 59c.
6 quart Lip Preserving Kettle, Blue Enamel, 39c. Regular value 59c.
2 quart Rice Boiler, Venetian Blue Enamel, 39c. Regular value 90c.
3 quart Tea and Coffee Pot, Venetian Blue Enamel, 39c. Regular value

6 quart Lip Sauce Pan, Blue and White Enamel, 39c. Regular value 59a 19 quart Dish Pan, Venetlan Blue Enamel, 39c. Regular value 75 quart Tea Kettle, Gray Enamel, 39c. Regular value 75c. 3 quart Rice Boiler, 39c. Regular value 75c.

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The French Academy of Sciences has decided that the skeleton found in a prehistoric cave at La Chapelle aux Saints, Department of Corezze, is the oldest and most perfect human fossil

A new English sunshine recording instrument consists of a glass sphere through which the sun's rays are focussed upon cards, in such a manner that a charred mark is made when-

ever the sun shines. The fact that silenium is a good conductor of electricity under the influence of light, but is a non-conductor when dark makes it useful in expleding torpedoes and for telephoning

with a ray of light. An American company which took advantage of the return of the roller skating craze to Great Britain after a lapse of 18 years, has opened 17 rinks in various cities, employing 100,000 pairs

An exceptionally fine photograph taken at Philadelphia of an automobile running at a speed in excess of 70 miles an hour disclosed that a car's front wheels do throw up dust, despite arguments to the contrary.

The mean annual rainfall of the United States is 30 inches, or aproximately 215,000,000,000,000 cubic feet, of which one half evaporates, one third flows to the sea, and the remainder is

consumed or absorbed. To facilitate its telephone service, the British Postoffice Department is experimenting with a slot machine device into which two pennies dropped when a call is made. If the line is busy the money is returned. The navy's submarine boat, "Octo-

pus," holds the record for depth of

operations. With a full crew on board the little vessel was operated for half an hour in Buzzard's Bay, Mass., in water no less than 107 feet deep. The first electric furnace in ountry for annealing, tempering and hardening metals has been erected at Schenectady, N. Y. . It consists of a crucible containing metallic salts melted by an alternating current of low voltage.

A prize of about \$2,400 offered in of preventing the pollution of streams by sulphite liquor from paper mills still remains unawarded. Scores of methods have been tried, but none has been successful.

The lammageir, or bearded vulture of southern Europe, is known by the natives of the countries it inhabits as heights to crack them, enabling it to get at the marrow.

To defeat the wiles of the Mississippi river, which frequently shifts its channel, a bridge to be erected across it at can be made a draw span by moving the elevating machinery.

Exhaustive inquiries into the history of several hundred European families have demonstrated that the third, fourth and fifth children of a couple invented an electric alarm to give no- especially the case in the off-spring of tice of a leakage of gasoline, gas or early marriages.

### MAKES HUGE DEMAND

# Indemnity of \$112,000,000.

(Special from United Press.) Constantinople, Feb. 6. - Turkey's tion of the fort." note to Russia regarding the latter's proposal for the settlement of the Bulcash payment,

Wants, To-Rent, For Sale, &c., I cent a word to Farmer Want Column.

Slim Women of Hungary. The women of Hungary regard a small waist as the greatest possible beauty, and they will endure anythi in order to put on an appearance of being small waisted. Tight lacing is carried on to an extraordinary extent, and the waist is compressed by force until one would think that the owner could hardly breathe. Yet in this confined state the women will plunge into the wildest of Hungarian dances, known as the czardas, and prance frantically like ballet dancers until at the end they sink, gasping, exhausted and well nigh suffocated, on a sofa. As they grow older most of these slim beauties become enormously stout, and then they are regarded as quite old. The Hungarians, though they resemble the Turks in many ways, have not the Turkish admiration for fat women or the English admiration for elderly made up belles. Hungary is a land of slim young women, and when they lose their figure they lose their attractiveness and their power.-Modern Society.

"Times Is Changed."

"Yes, siree, Bill; times is changed since you an' me was doin' our courtin'," said Adoniram Clover, with a note of sadness in his voice, to old Andy Clover, who had come over to "set a

spell." "When we was doin' our courtin' Andy, a gal thought she was bein treated right harnsom if a feller bought her 10 cents' wuth o' pep'mints once in awhile, an' if he tuk her to any doin's in town she didn't expect him to go down into his jeans to the tune of a dollar or two for ice cream an' soda water an' candy at fo'ty cents a Germany in 1894 for the best method paound. My son Si tuk his ducksydaddle to the band concert in town yistiday, an' there wa'n't a quarter left of a dollar bill he struck me fer time he got home. Beats all the way young folks throw the money away nowadays. I tell ye times is changed the "bone-breaker," from its habit of mightly since we was boys, an' the dropping bones upon rocks from great Lawd only knows what the end will be with a feller layin' out 75 cents on a gal in one day!"-St. Louis Republic.

> The Innocent Young Thing. The manufacturer of a moving pic-

ture machine was explaining to a group of acquaintances how he had obtained a series of pictures showing a celebrated massacre that isd once taken place at a western army post are more able to resist disease than in the days when Indian warfare was their elder brothers or sisters. This is a horrible reality instead of an exhibit on a Broadway stage.

"The commander of the post," he said, "had a detachment of soldiers and another of Indians re-enact the scene for us, dressed exactly as in the old days, so our machines could secure every detail-the onslaught of the Indians, the defense by the white soldiers; their massacre and the destruc-

"It may be very interesting," said the kindly citizen, "but I should not care to see it in even a picture." The sweet young thing listened with

wide eyes. "And did they really kill the white soldiers for you?" she asked, breathless.-New York Press.

Venezuela received its name from the early Spanish residents, -he n it a resemblance to Venice.